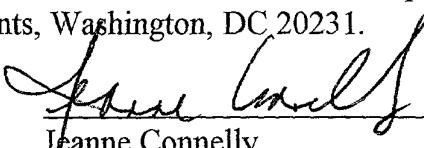


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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 21, 2001, please find enclosed a Declaration, Power of Attorney, Authorization for Extensions of Time Under 37 CFR § 1.136(a)(3), and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts for the above-identified application.

Please find enclosed a Petition for an Extension of Time, extending the time for response from October 21, 2001 to November 21, 2001.

Enclosed is a Transmittal of Formal Drawings (Figures 1-17).

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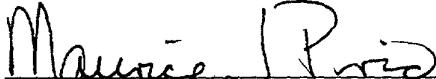
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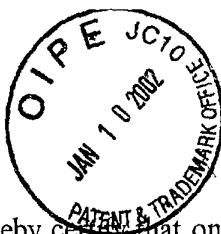
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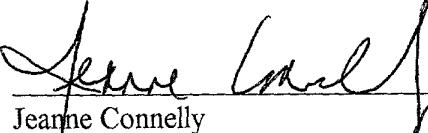


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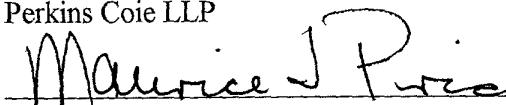
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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Enclosed please find 17 sheets of formal drawings (Figures 1-17) for the above-identified application.

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